RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1734

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

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Title

: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PICKING UP SEMICONDUCTOR

CHIP AND SUCTION AND EXFOLIATION TOOL USED THEREFOR

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AMENDMENT "E"

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This amendment is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination. A one-month extension is hereby requested. Accordingly, please charge the requisite fees of \$940 for the one-month extension of time, and the Request for Continued Examination to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, order No. NGB-35857.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.